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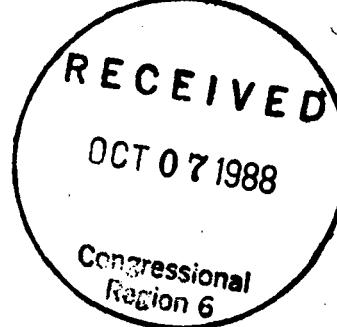
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Mr. Robert E. Layton, Jr.  
Regional Administrator  
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Dear Mr. Layton:

I have been contacted by International Distribution Corporation, a small warehousing business located in the 25th Congressional district, requesting assistance in a matter involving Region VI and their company.

The company has been engaged in negotiations with the Region VI staff regarding the resolution of an Administrative Order filed by the EPA on June 22, 1988. According to the information that I have received, the Company petitioned the EPA for mixed funding under the CERCLA guidelines and was denied.

Representatives of the company have requested my assistance because they feel that the decision made by the EPA to deny mixed funding is extreme under the circumstances of this particular case. They believe that an equitable solution could be reached if they were given the opportunity to address the issues to you directly.

While recognizing that your schedule is demanding, I would hope that some arrangement could be made to grant their request. I feel that it is in the best interest of my constituent and the EPA that a fair resolution be reached without the need for litigation or other enforcement procedures.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

With best wishes, I am

Very truly yours,

*Michael A. Andrews*

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